

## STATE MAY SUE ON OFFICIAL BOND

Auditor Reports Former Clerk Monteiro, of Goochland, for Failure to Settle.

## ILL HEALTH WINS PARDON

James Lambeth Freed—Requisitions for Criminals—Financial Reports Required.

Official report has been made by State Auditor C. Lee Moore to Attorney-General Samuel W. Williams that Moses T. Monteiro, clerk of the Circuit Court of Goochland county, has failed to settle his accounts with the State for the statutory period of six months ending February 29, 1912. The Auditor-General has been requested by the Auditor to enter suit for the sum due, upon the official bond of Mr. Monteiro. Inasmuch as Mr. Monteiro went out of office on January 1, his unsettled accounts comprise only four months, the amount being probably small. The exact sum being unknown in the absence of the official reports.

Under the provisions of the law, these accounts must be settled within thirty days. Mr. Monteiro waited until this period had expired, and then took prompt action.

All of the other clerks of courts in the State have completed their settlements, no other being indebted in the sum of 1 cent.

The county and city treasurers are responding to the circular issued by Auditor Moore requesting prompt monthly settlements. Possibly one-third have already paid up for March.

## DYING MAN PARDONED

Lambeth, Who Burnt His Child, Released by Governor Mann.

Governor Mann yesterday issued a conditional pardon to James Lambeth, a white man, who has served five years of the term of eighteen on a charge of burning his own child with intent to kill. The crime was committed in Princess Anne county and was said to be the result of a drunken orgy. The man came from North Carolina.

Affidavits were presented to show that Lambeth is suffering from cancer of the stomach and is in a dying condition. He will be taken to his former home from the State Farm.

## REPORTS REQUIRED

Associations to Show Expenditures on Graves of Confederate Dead.

State Auditor Moore has notified treasurers of local Confederate memorial associations that they must report the expenditures of the past two years in detail before they can pay over to them the recent appropriations for caring for the graves of Confederate dead. His construction of the language of the bill making these appropriations is that he cannot pay over the money for 1912 and 1913 until the vouchers and complete reports for 1910 and 1911 are in his hands. Inasmuch as the act does not go into effect until June 14, the intervening time may be occupied in making the required settlements, which must be approved in regular form before a commissioner in chancery.

## Requisitions Issued.

A requisition was issued yesterday on the Governor of Florida for J. B. Adams, alias E. E. Lee, alias Judson White, alias Dr. J. C. Ashton, wanted in Winchester, Va., on a charge of forging a check for \$466.66. He is in jail at Tampa. Adam Forney will go for the prisoner.

Governor Mann also issued a requisition on the Governor of North Carolina for John Walker, wanted in jail at Raleigh. He is wanted in Henrico county on a charge of seduction. He will be brought to this State by W. W. Sydnor.

Requisition papers issued by the Governor of North Carolina for John Walker were honored. He was convicted in Cumberland county, N. C., and given five years' imprisonment for felony. On April 6, 1909, Walker escaped from the convict road force. He is in jail in Richmond, where Warden T. P. Sale, of the North Carolina State Prison, will find him.

## Talk on Agriculture.

Commissioner of Agriculture Koller has accepted an invitation to address the Southern Commercial Congress in Nashville next week. His subject will be "Agricultural Recovery and Development in Virginia Since 1870."

## Passes Examination.

Frank E. Spalding, second lieutenant of Company C, First Infantry, has passed his examination and will be commissioned.

## Will Hold Court in Henrico.

Judge Jesse F. West, of Waverly, has been commissioned by Governor Mann to hold part of the April term of the Circuit Court of Henrico county for Judge R. Carter Scott.

## Charters Issued.

Douglas Company (Inc.), Faison, Va., J. Courtney, president, Mundy Point, Va.; C. W. Douglas, secretary and treasurer, Faison, Va. Capital, \$100,000. Minimum, \$10,000. Object: Fertilizer and canning business.

Amendment was issued to the charter of the Kelly-Burfield Handle Company, a West Virginia corporation, changing its name to the Kelly Handle Company, and appointing W. F. Fison, of Altaville, Va., statutory agent.

Amendment was issued to the charter of the Bassett Company, Bassett, Va., increasing its capital from \$200,000 to \$500,000, and creating a preferred stock of \$50,000.

## Recipes for Winkles and Bad Complexions

(From Art and Nature.)

Of all the beauty recipes in my scrap book, here are two that have always given complete satisfaction.

Wrinkle Remover.—One ounce powdered sorbites, dissolved in one-half pint of water. Use as a wash lotion. It brings instantaneous results.

Face Peeler.—Pure mercerized wax, applied at night like cold cream, only not rubbed in; wash off in the morning. It causes the worn-out skin to come off in tiny, almost invisible flakes, a little each day, until the fresh young under-skin is wholly in evidence. The beautiful rose-tinted complexion thus obtained is not to be compared with one made over with cosmetics. An ounce of the wax is sufficient.

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## HIGHWAY WILL BE INCORPORATED

Richmond-Washington Association Will Apply for a Charter.

Practical steps toward a permanent organization of the Richmond-Washington Highway Association—a division of the Quebec-Miami Highway Association—were taken yesterday afternoon when the directors of that body met in the Jefferson Hotel, endorsed the incorporation plan proposed by President Henry W. Anderson, and appointed a committee, with full powers, to apply for a charter from the State Corporation Commission and to complete whatever details of incorporation yet unperfected. This committee, consisting of five directors—Henry W. Anderson, Sam Cohen, P. St. Julien Wilson, Preston Belvin and R. B. Allport—has full authority in the matter of incorporation, limited only by certain qualifications adopted yesterday by the board.

By the unanimous agreement of the directors, the minimum capital stock—which must be paid up before the charter will be granted—was set for \$50,000, with a maximum capital of \$150,000, the latter, however, subject to increase at any time. Subscriptions to the highway fund will be made in the form of stock in the corporation, each share selling for \$10, and the subscribers, in their capacity as stockholders in the corporation, will have a vote in the disbursement of funds in the treasury. No dividends are to be paid by the corporation, and no remuneration for services to any person except engineers and workmen actually devoting their entire time to the construction of the highway. The association will be incorporated with general powers to assist in the building of a highway from Richmond to Washington.

The home office, with the principal officers, will be located in Richmond. The charter will provide for a president, six active vice-presidents and an undetermined number of honorary vice-presidents, a secretary and assistant secretaries, a treasurer and assistants.

ex officio member of the committee. A fund for the maintenance of the road, once it is constructed, will be provided.

With this in view, the charter will provide that at least 20 or 25 per cent. of the capital stock shall be set aside for a fund to be used in the upkeep of the road. As in any other corporation, a printed report of its expenditures and operations must be filed yearly with the State Corporation Commission and distributed to the stockholders. Under this organization, which has been approved by the Washington Chamber of Commerce, as well as the local chamber, the highway association will be given a legal status and made a perpetual corporation which will be accountable for all moneys entrusted to its hands.

Those present yesterday were Henry W. Anderson, Preston Belvin, R. B. Allport, Fritz Stierling, P. St. Julien Wilson, Sam Cohen, W. S. Embrey, of Fredericksburg; H. R. Hyson, of Manassas; and Henry Warden, of Fredericksburg. Later in the day the plan of organization as adopted by the association was submitted for the approval of President Briscoe, of the United States Motor Company, who is in Richmond, and received his unqualified endorsement. Mr. Briscoe took a copy of the incorporation papers for more careful review. He pledged the support, moral and physical, of the United States Motor Company to the proposed highway.

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## "The Crucifixion" at Monumental Church



WM. WALE WHIDDIT.

"The Crucifixion," Sir John Stainer's well-known and beautiful oratorio, will be sung by the fifty members of the choir of Monumental Church to-morrow (Good Friday) night at 8 o'clock. William Wale Whiddit, of the First Congregational Church, Washington, D. C., will sing the tenor solos. He has a tenor voice of wide range and remarkable

power. His soft tones are very sweet and his enunciation excellent. L. Burke Slaughter, of the Monumental choir, will sing the baritone solos. He has a flexible voice, under splendid control. Appropriate organ music will be played by Mr. Potter, the organist and choir-master of the church.

primary can be held under the new law. That statute will be in force on June 14, ninety days after the adjournment of the General Assembly. This will be before the primary date as fixed, but will be after the filing of names. The question at issue here is whether any sort of election can be had looking to the holding of an election under the new law before that law goes into effect.

Requirements of Law. "The name of no candidate," says section 9, "shall be printed upon any official ballot used at any primary unless such person is legally qualified to hold the office for which he is a candidate, and unless at least sixty days before the primary he makes and files a written declaration of candidacy and has paid the fee required on or before the day upon which he is required to file his declaration of candidacy by the proper committee."

Section 11 provides that "every candidate for any office at any primary, before he files his declaration of candidacy as herein provided, shall pay a fee equal to 5 per centum of one year's salary attached to the office for which he is a candidate." Also that "candidates for the United States Senate, for Representative in Congress, for all State offices shall pay said fee to the Treasurer of Virginia."

There comes in here the question as to whether the State Treasurer can accept such a fee when the law permitting him to do so is not yet in effect. Yet it must be paid before the declaration of candidacy is filed, which must be by April 16, so far as the Third District is concerned.

Mr. Ellison is inclined to the opinion that in the absence of objection on the part of any candidate for Congress, the technicalities may be overlooked. He will seek the advice of the Attorney-General on the subject.

## BLACKSTONE CO. FINE \$250.00 Y. M. C. A. WORKERS MEET IN ROANOKE

Convicted on Ten Counts—G. T. Williams, of Petersburg, Is Discharged.

Convicted on ten of the fifteen counts registered against it in the indictment, the Southern Excelsior Company, of Blackstone, was fined \$250 yesterday by Judge Edmund Waddill, Jr., in the United States District Court. A fine of \$25 was imposed for each count sustained. Upon the five remaining counts the company was discharged.

The indictment against the company charged that, by a system of underbidding shipments, it had defrauded the Norfolk and Western Railway Company, and secured for itself, by fraud, lower freight rates than were prescribed for the product it manufactured. The defense denied intent to commit fraud, claiming that the instances of underbidding referred to were due to clerical errors.

G. T. Williams Acquitted.

The trial of G. T. Williams on the charge of concealing untaxed spirits consumed at the afternoon. Upon the conclusion of the examination of the witnesses, counsel for the defense, Charles T. Lassiter, of Petersburg, submitted the case to the jury without argument. Judge Waddill reviewed the evidence and instructed the jury that, in his opinion, sufficient evidence to convict the prisoner had not been introduced by the government, advising it to return a verdict of acquittal. This was done and the prisoner discharged.

Williams, it was alleged, while in the employ of the invidious Distilling Company, operating grain distillery No. 11, near Petersburg, aided in concealing a certain amount of untaxed spirits, in March, 1911.

According to testimony brought out during the trial, he also made several attempts to intimidate the government gauger employed at the distillery, with the object of influencing him to permit fraud to be practiced. Judge Waddill held that testimony on this point was foreign to the indictment, which charged simply that he concealed untaxed spirits.

Grand Jury Indicts Three.

The grand jury in the United States District Court yesterday returned three indictments, and adjourned till 12:20 o'clock to-morrow. One of these was an amended form of the indictment returned Monday against the Broad Rock Distilling Company, of Chester-

field county, which was found to be defective in that it failed to include among the persons named as defendants Clarence B. Wood, president of the distillery company. The bill was corrected by the insertion of Mr. Wood's name.

A true bill was found by the grand jury against Erskine L. Lathrop, postmaster at Restholm, Greenville county, charged with making a false return and statement to the auditor of the Post-Office Department with regard to the business done by the office of which he was in charge. In order to secure an increase in compensation as postmaster, it is alleged, he reported stamp cancellations amounting to \$12.64, whereas a matter of fact these amounted to only \$3.61.

Alleged Swindler in the Tolls.

The third indictment was against Walter S. Buchanan, of Louisa, charged with using the mails with the intention of securing goods under false pretenses. The indictment sets forth in six counts that Buchanan wrote a number of firms in New York, Boston and Detroit from Louisa, representing himself to be a retired traveling salesman about to open a retail store in Louisa, and asking for a line of credit. As reference he inclosed in each instance the name of Frank T. Moory, of Trevilians, Va., who, it is charged, is engaged in the same business of ordering goods without the intention of paying for them.

The indictment alleges that Buchanan was never a traveling salesman, that he never owned a store, and that he had no intention of opening one. Instead, it is alleged, it is his practice to secure the goods in the manner described and to peddle them out at prices far below their market value. His operations, it is stated in the indictment, cover periods in 1909, 1910 and 1911.

## Y. M. C. A. WORKERS MEET IN ROANOKE

Convention Opens April 11. Many Prominent Speakers to Be Present.

The thirty-third annual convention of the Virginia Young Men's Christian Association will be held in Roanoke April 11 to 14. The State executive committee, under whose auspices it will be held, has prepared an elaborate program for the occasion which includes addresses by many of the leading association workers, ministers, educators and business men of the country.

The first session will be held Thursday night, April 11, followed by morning, afternoon and evening sessions on Friday and Saturday. Meetings are also planned for Sunday, the convention closing with a farewell service Sunday night.

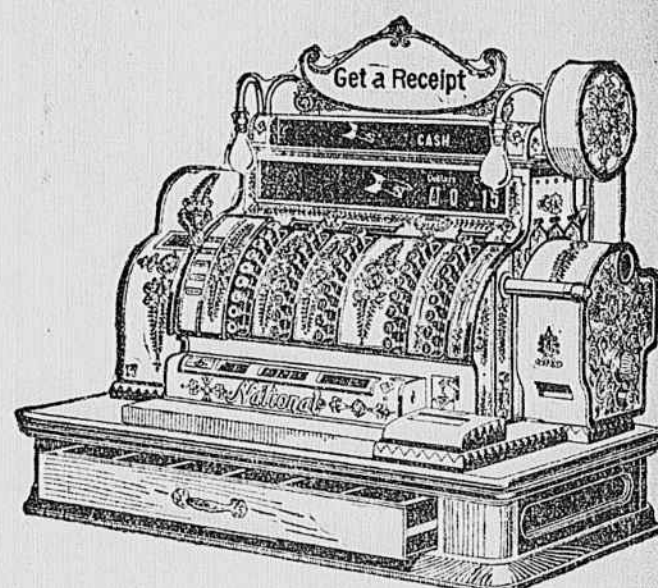
In addition to the main program, sectional conferences will be held Friday and Saturday for students, college workers, railroad men, older boys and adult workers and mission volunteers.

Some of the principal addresses will be delivered by Dr. J. A. Macdonald, of Toronto, Canada, editor of the Toronto Globe; President L. E. Johnson, of Norfolk and Western Railway; Dr. Henry Louis Smith, President-elect of Washington and Lee University; Lewis W. Parker, of Greenville, S. C., the largest cotton mill owner in the world; L. Wilbur Messer, of Chicago; Walter M. Wood, and Dr. Rubens Humphrey, of Philadelphia; Albert B. Farnsworth, E. T. Colton and Charles R. Townson, of New York; Professor Edwin L. Sarp, of Drew Theological Seminary; Orin Samuel Gray, of Amherst, Mass.; and P. A. Garrison, of Oklahoma. The list of speakers includes many others not named above, but almost of equal prominence who will participate in the conferences.

The annual banquet will be held Friday night, followed by addresses by Dr. Charles W. Kent, Dr. Macdonald, and Mr. E. T. Colton. Preparations are being made to accommodate 600 guests on this occasion.

The State committee expects to run a special train from Norfolk on Thursday night, April 11, with at least two sleepers from Richmond, and others from Danville, Lynchburg and Charlottesville.

The city of Roanoke will entertain all convention delegates, representing associations, churches, Sunday schools, colleges and high schools. It is expected that there will be an attendance of from 500 to 1,000, representing every section of the State.



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## ASSAULTED WITH HATCHETT

Fox Arrested for Seriously Cutting Joseph McClain.

Thomas Fox, colored, was arrested last night for feloniously assaulting Joseph McClain, colored, of 4th North Thirteenth street, with an axe. McClain was badly cut about the head and face, and it was necessary for Dr. J. J. Bulcher, ambulance surgeon of the City Hospital, to make four stitches in his wounds.

McClain was at work laying a door sill at 514 North Seventeenth street when Fox appeared. The latter is alleged to have snatched a hatchet from him, and followed him up with an attack with a small axe. Why Fox should have assaulted McClain is not known.

Reported for Speeding.

W. S. Evans was reported yesterday by Officers Thurman and Samuels for exceeding the speed limit while driving an automobile through West Franklin street.

## RAILROAD Y. M. C. A.

Entertainment To-Morrow Night—Annual Picnic on June 22 at Buckroe.

There will be a musical and literary program rendered at the Railroad Young Men's Christian Association Friday evening from 8:15 to 10:15 o'clock, and all railroad men of the city with their families and friends are invited. There will be comic moving pictures, songs, monologues, reading, and black-faced comedians.

The railroad association will hold its annual picnic at Buckroe Beach Saturday, June 22, and every railroad man secures a new member for the railroad association or securing a renewal will receive a free ticket to the picnic and a free dinner there. Games are being arranged for, and effort is being made to make it the event of the whole season.

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